

Graphing Simple Rational Functions

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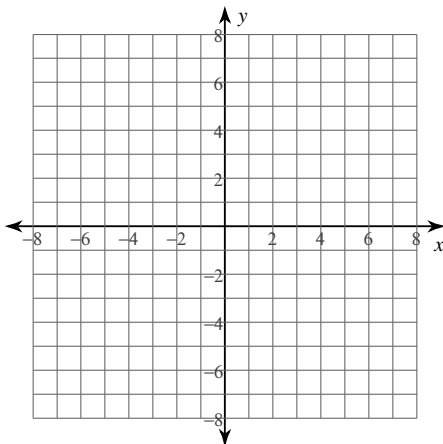
2) $f(x) = \frac{4}{x-1} + 1$

3) $f(x) = -\frac{3}{x-1} - 1$

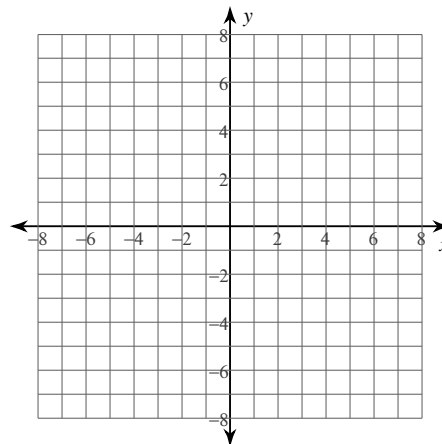
4) $f(x) = -\frac{3}{x}$

Identify the vertical asymptotes, horizontal asymptote, domain, and range of each. Then sketch the graph.

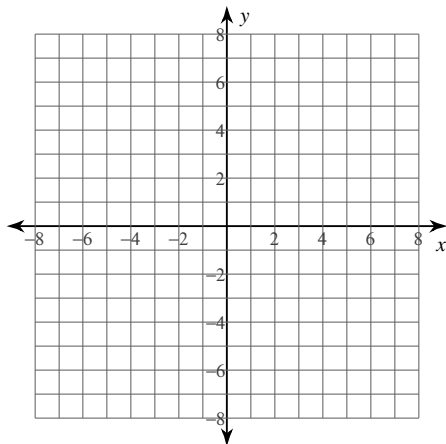
5) $f(x) = \frac{3}{x+1} - 2$



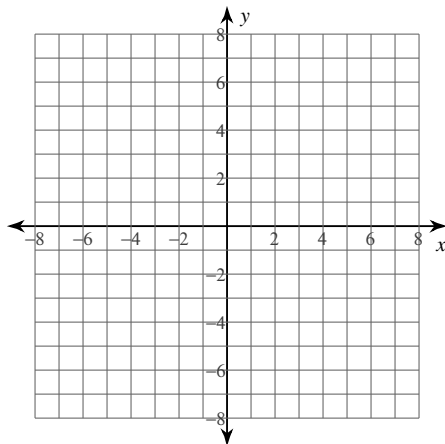
6) $f(x) = \frac{3}{x+1} + 2$



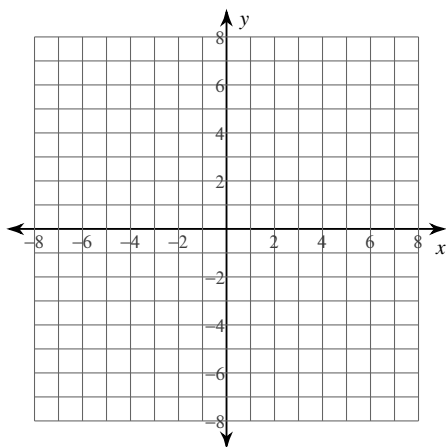
7) $f(x) = \frac{3}{x} + 1$



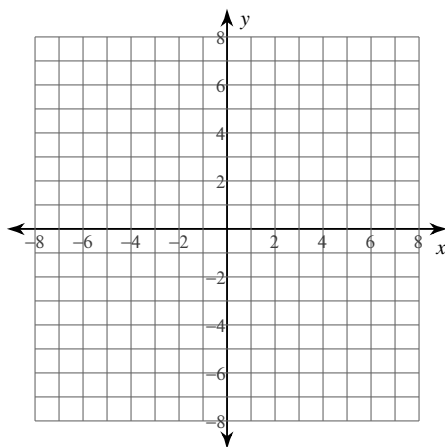
8) $f(x) = \frac{2}{x-3} + 1$



9) $f(x) = -\frac{4}{x+1} + 1$



10) $f(x) = \frac{4}{x} + 2$



Critical thinking question:

11) Write a function of the form $f(x) = \frac{a}{x-h} + k$ with a vertical asymptote at $x = 25$

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Vertical Asym.: $x = 0$ Horz. Asym.: $y = 0$

Domain: All reals except 0

Range: All reals except 0

2) $f(x) = \frac{4}{x-1} + 1$

Vertical Asym.: $x = 1$ Horz. Asym.: $y = 1$

Domain: All reals except 1

Range: All reals except 1

3) $f(x) = -\frac{3}{x-1} - 1$

Vertical Asym.: $x = 1$ Horz. Asym.: $y = -1$

Domain: All reals except 1

Range: All reals except -1

4) $f(x) = -\frac{3}{x}$

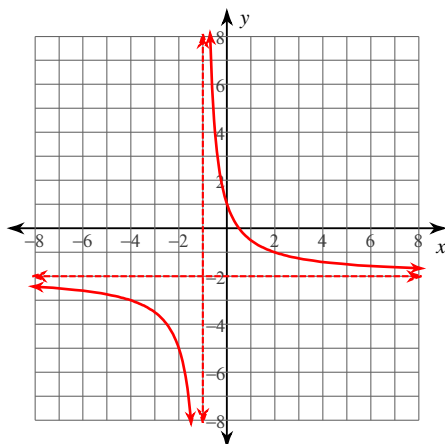
Vertical Asym.: $x = 0$ Horz. Asym.: $y = 0$

Domain: All reals except 0

Range: All reals except 0

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5) $f(x) = \frac{3}{x+1} - 2$

Vertical Asym.: $x = -1$ Horz. Asym.: $y = -2$

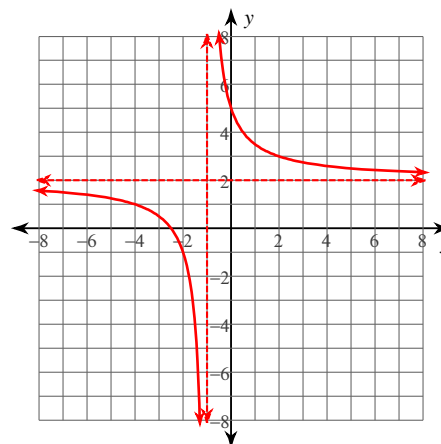
Domain:

All reals except -1

Range:

All reals except -2

6) $f(x) = \frac{3}{x+1} + 2$

Vertical Asym.: $x = -1$ Horz. Asym.: $y = 2$

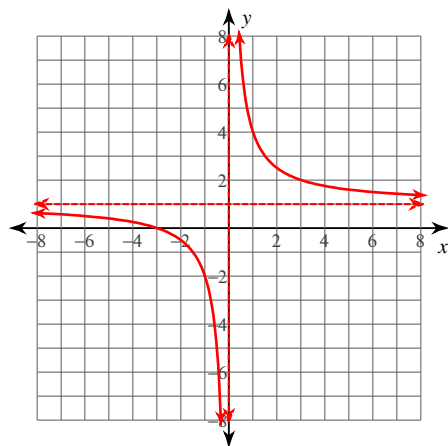
Domain:

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Range:

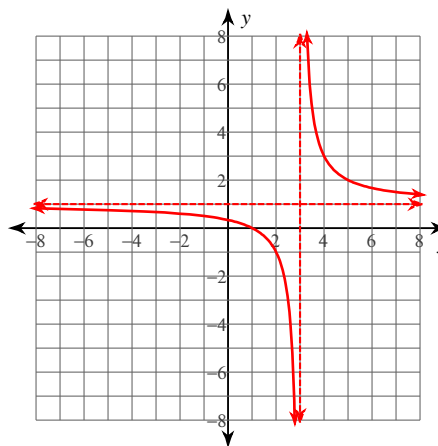
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7) $f(x) = \frac{3}{x} + 1$



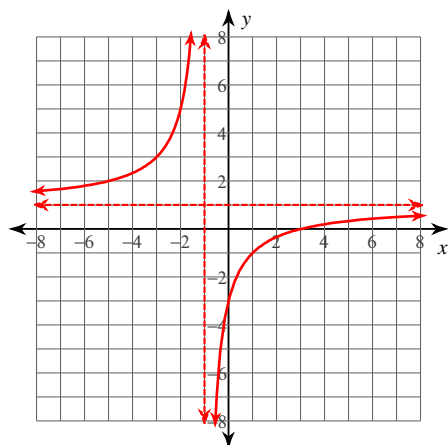
Vertical Asym.: $x = 0$
 Horz. Asym.: $y = 1$
 Domain:
 All reals except 0
 Range:
 All reals except 1

8) $f(x) = \frac{2}{x-3} + 1$



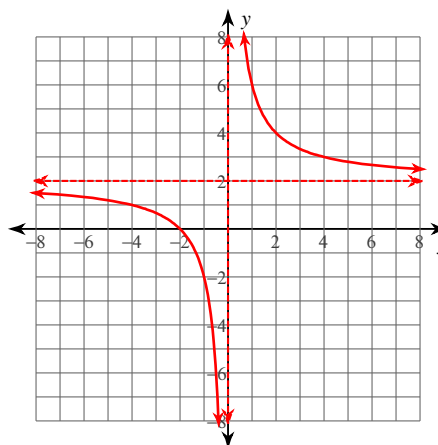
Vertical Asym.: $x = 3$
 Horz. Asym.: $y = 1$
 Domain:
 All reals except 3
 Range:
 All reals except 1

9) $f(x) = -\frac{4}{x+1} + 1$



Vertical Asym.: $x = -1$
 Horz. Asym.: $y = 1$
 Domain:
 All reals except -1
 Range:
 All reals except 1

10) $f(x) = \frac{4}{x} + 2$



Vertical Asym.: $x = 0$
 Horz. Asym.: $y = 2$
 Domain:
 All reals except 0
 Range:
 All reals except 2

Critical thinking question:

11) Write a function of the form $f(x) = \frac{a}{x-h} + k$ with a vertical asymptote at $x = 25$

Many answers. Ex: $f(x) = \frac{1}{x-25}$